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Invention: **“DEVICE FOR THE DETECTION OF AT LEAST ONE LIGAND CONTAINED IN A SAMPLE THAT IS TO BE ANALYZED”**

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment After Final Rejection in the above-identified application.

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 10, 2006, Applicants submit the following Amendments and Remarks.


Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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